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SUBJ: US/VN RELATIONS: PARIS TALKS

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1. IN THE COURSE OF A CONVERSATION CONCERNING THE MIA LETTER, SRV LIAISON OFFICER DO THANH SAID THAT HE EXPECTED SOON A REPLY FROM HANOI ABOUT THE US PROPOSAL FOR THE FIRST MEETING IN PARIS MAY 3. HE HAS NOW GATHERED THAT THERE MIGHT BE A COUNTERPROPOSAL FOR A LATER DATE SINCE MAY 3 WAS SO SOON AFTER THE END OF THE PHAM VAN DONG OFFICIAL VISIT (ALSO DONG MIGHT STILL BE IN FRANCE OR EUROPE) SO THAT THEY MIGHT NOT HAVE TAKEN CARE BY THEN OF ALL THE PROBLEMS LEFT OVER FROM THE TRIP.

2. DO THANH SAID THAT WHEN HANOI'S REPLY HAD BEEN RECEIVED, WE WOULD HAVE TO DISCUSS AGAIN THE VENUE FOR THE TALKS, THE LANGUAGE(S) TO BE USED (HE THOUGHT FRENCH WOULD AGAIN BE THE QUICKEST MEDIUM), HOUR AND DURATION OF THE FIRST MEETING, POSSIBLE INTERVALS BETWEEN MEETINGS, PARTICIPANTS, HANDLING OF THE PRESS (INCLUDING WHETHER THERE SHOULD BE AN ANNOUNCEMENT IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING), INFORMING THE FRENCH, ETC. SUCH MATTERS
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WERE RESOLVED EASILY FOR THE NOVEMBER 12 MEETING, AND DO THANH ANTICIPATED NO DIFFICULTIES IN RESOLVING THEM ALONG THE SAME LINES FOR THE MAY MEETING.
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